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Responses delay bookstore decision

Faced with criticism of outsourcing, committee forms to evaluate business model

Frances Dinger
Staff Writer

Since the middle of May when Seattle University announced to students and faculty that the bookstore was reviewing its business plan and considering outsourcing, community opinion has complicated the university's plans.

After receiving adamant objection from both staff and students, the university has decided to form a Bookstore Advisory Committee, pushing the final decision back to some time in fall quarter of the 2009-2010 school year. The decision was originally going to be made in June.

Committee members were unavailable to comment on the committee's summer activities.

In an e-mail to the campus community, Ron Smith, vice president for finance and business

affairs, stated that the committee's purpose is to, "explore the best business model for our campus community based on the campus climate and the physical and financial constraints of the university."

The committee is meant to represent Seattle U's larger community, including professors, staff and students. As the bookstore's primary customers as well as university tuition payers, students play an important role in the committee as well as in independent opposition to the proposal.

Students Against Outsourcing SU Bookstore, or SASUB, began as a small Facebook group that quickly realized its actions had to breach from the Internet into campus life to make an impact. Before the Advisory Committee was formed, SASUB spent time sending e-mails to ASSU to let the university know they were against the proposition.

The next stage, according to group co-founder Seamus

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A smaller, but full-service library



Clara ganey

The Spectator

The interim library has room only for 34,000 of Lemieux's 225,000 books, which will remain available.

Katy McCourt-Basham
Staff Writer

There are few libraries where all of the books are kept behind closed doors. For the next year or so, this will be the norm at Seattle

University's interim library.

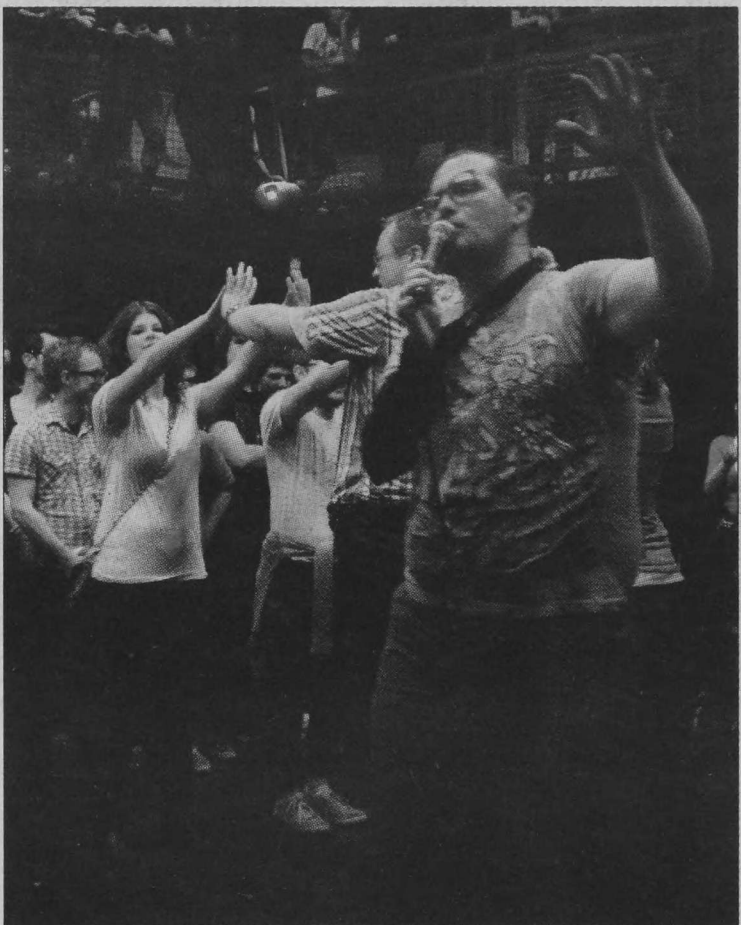
Seattle U's interim library, located on 13th Avenue and E. Columbia Street, will restrict access to the public in order to cram in more books.

"The [Americans with

Disabilities Act] has pretty strict regulations for libraries," said Judy Solberg, director of Instructional and Public Services at Lemieux Library. According to Solberg, public access to books

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SU is amid vibrant music scene



Garrett Mukai

The Spectator

Electronica wizard Dan Deacon rocks the Vera Project April 25.

Your guide to the venues and artists that make Seattle a music-lover's dream

Angelo Carosio
Online Editor

Jimi Hendrix. Nirvana. Modest Mouse. Over the years, the Seattle music scene has created and harbored some of the biggest names in rock, and it continues to thrive with new indie talent like Fleet Foxes. Music of all kinds surrounds Seattle, and Seattle University happens to be near the epicenter of all of it.

Much of Seattle's success as a thriving music scene comes from the fact that perhaps the most famous indie label, Sub Pop Records, calls Seattle home. Sub Pop's roster is impressive: bands that have released material with Sub Pop include The Shins, The Postal Service, Iron and Wine, Flight of the Conchords and Death Cab For Cutie.

Although the label isn't as "independent" as it used to be (it's 49 percent owned by Warner), it remains a large part of the

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Dollar's dad joins staff, Kriley fired

Women's bball coach started here in 2000, had 77 wins as head coach

Taylor Olson
Sports Editor

While athletes use the summer to rest up for the upcoming season, the Athletic Department has been at work making changes to prepare for the second year of the reclassification to Division I competition.

With both the men's and women's basketball teams coming off of winning seasons, they will see big changes in the coaching staff next year.

Athletic Director Bill Hogan announced July 1 that Dan Kriley, head women's basketball coach, will not return for the 2009-2010 season.

"I informed Coach Dan Kriley his contract as head coach of the

women's basketball team was ended," Hogan said in a press release. "The university will be conducting a national search to identify a new head coach for the team."

Kriley started his career at Seattle U in the 2000-2001 season as an assistant coach for the men's basketball team. He then served as an assistant coach for the women's team from 2001 to 2004. Kriley had been the head coach of the women's program since 2004.

"We greatly appreciate the contributions that Coach Kriley have made to the SU women's basketball program," Hogan said.

Margot Richards, assistant coach for the women's team, ran the annual summer camp from June 30 to July 2 along with some current players on the

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Why were you in that class? Ask Mara Rempe



Clara Ganey

The Spectator

Mara Rempe's office sits behind stacks of paper in her office. She's responsible for class assignments.

Every year, incoming freshmen are placed in their fall quarter classes by this team of two.

Katie Farden
Asst. News Editor

Mara Rempe has a job much like Santa Claus—she works diligently all year to craft customized gifts for many individuals with different needs and desires.

The presents Rempe deliver, however, arrive in the hands of incoming Seattle U freshman not at Christmas but at summer orientation.

We have to put together a schedule based on all of these competing things.

Mara Rempe
Director of New Student Reg.

Rempe, director of New Student Registration, and assistant director Mike Mabie are responsible for making each new freshman a fall quarter class schedule.

This year, for example, they registered 787 incoming first-year students based on a course-preference survey the accepted students submitted in the spring.

Rempe began the process of freshmen registration hunched over a computer screen in her office in January. Here, she spent long hours updating the previous year's online course preferences for accepted students.

Starting May 5, students who paid their deposit could begin to fill out their course preferences online. From there, Rempe started placing freshman in fall quarter classes.

"It's not just a random batch of classes we throw at them," Rempe says of the fall quarter schedules she and Mabie formulate for new freshman. "Certain majors really like [the freshmen] to start in certain courses."

Rempe says class schedules are designed based on multiple factors, including the amount of credits a student comes to the university with her or his major preferences, and the number of Advanced Placement courses the student has taken in high school.

"We have to put together a schedule based on all of these competing things," she says. "And then when they come at orientation, we can adjust for things we may have not known about."

Incoming freshmen are expected to attend one of three summer orientation sessions before fall quarter classes start. Here, they receive the opportunity to review their schedules with an adviser.

Having their schedules completed by summer orientation, Rempe

says, allows more time for freshmen to work with Seattle U faculty and staff time to straighten out the kinks in their schedules before classes begin.

"It's different from a lot of schools where registration takes place at orientation," says Rempe, who graduated from Seattle U in 1989 with a degree in chemistry.

"Students who come to the later registration sessions," she adds, "don't find the classes they need are already full, which is what happens at a lot of other schools. They get here in September, and they are ready to start rocking and rolling."

Rempe said another benefit of giving freshmen their schedules at registration—opposed to mailing them their course list as other universities do—was that students had the opportunity to look over their courses with an adviser.

"There are all these scheduling nuances," she says. "And it all makes a lot more sense sitting down with an adviser."

Rempe says one challenge that arises while registering new freshmen is adjusting for Advanced Placement credits students earn in high school.

"We call it the 'AP stealth,'" she says. "It happens a lot—when students don't tell us they're getting credit for an exam, and then we have to make a change to their schedule."

Dealing with parents of new freshman, she says, also proves difficult at times.

787 first-year students were registered based on a course-preference survey.

"It's a new thing for some [parents] to let go of that responsibility," she says.

Sometimes, parents question why their son or daughter is required to take certain classes fall quarter—like core requisite fine arts or history courses—because they do not seem to directly align with the student's declared major.

When a parent contacts Rempe, she encourages the parent to have her or his son or daughter get back to her.

"I usually CC the student on the e-mail when replying to a parent," she says. "Sometimes, the student does not even know the parent has been contacting me."

The most gratifying part of her job, she says, is keeping a new student informed and involved with their own education.

"The way we do it allows us to treat everyone as an individual," she says. "Were not just saying 'everyone takes English 101.'"

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A look at the '09-'10 ASSU

Bookstore outsourcing, Student Savings Club already visible on student gov't agenda

Veronica Lim
Staff Writer

Newly elected Associated Students of Seattle University President Jesse David spent the early years of his life residing in Central America before traveling north to the Emerald City.

A senior philosophy major, David will lead the student government to hear students and faculty members. He hopes to bring their voices together in a common collective to improve the continuously changing campus.

Some people don't even know what ASSU stands for. That was disappointing to hear.

Cole Hunter
VP of Finance

David's younger years and past experiences differentiate him from the typical college student. His parents were missionaries so David grew up in Costa Rica. He lived there for 10 years.

A lack of smooth credit transfers led David to attending community college in the U.S. before transferring to Seattle U. He now participates in Seattle U's ROTC program. Friends and colleagues describe David as a strong and natural leader.

"[Jesse] has disgusting amounts of moral character," said Joseph Locke, senior political science major. "His leadership abilities and moral character and his integrity are some of his strongest characteristics."

Students say David's passion to serve the community will continue throughout his presidency.

"Jesse David will be a very successful representative of the student body because of the values that he uses as a standard to live by, his work ethic and his love for the Seattle University community," said Matt Frix, junior business management major and ASSU executive vice president.

ASSU is currently working on promoting the Student Savings Club, an ongoing project in which

Seattle University would participate in a national program that gives college students discounts.

Previous vice president of finance Emmanuelle Escandar started working toward a Student Savings Club in the 2008-2009 school year. The 2008-2009 ASSU implemented the program and did the background work for its introduction to the university.

Cole Hunter, junior marketing major and new vice president of finance, hopes to spend this school year "advertising and getting it out to the students."

ASSU will also be involved in student issues surrounding the potential outsourcing of the bookstore.

An independent contractor has been hired to view the pros and cons of the bookstore situation. A firm hired 10 years ago to revamp the bookstore is also being used to attain a non-biased view to benefit students.

Hunter said ASSU is attempting to gather a group of students and faculty members in order to look at the issue and have their voices heard alongside contractors and the administrative board.

Within last year's election for this year's ASSU officers, seven of the members ran in uncontested races, leaving some representatives doubting ASSU's visibility on campus.

"Some people don't even know what ASSU stands for," Hunter said. "That was disappointing to hear. The choices made on campus will be long-lasting so I think students would want to be more involved."

Altogether, the officers and committees will be placing an emphasis on student leadership and student interaction in order to have their voices be heard and to bring harmony to the populace.

Friends and colleagues say David is a strong and natural leader.

McKenzie Weber, vice president of university affairs for ASSU, said the organization wants to continue gaining respect with the student body this year.

"Last year we set the bar really high, but ASSU is constantly evolving and we've evolved for the better," added Weber. "In almost every way the students see us, we pride ourselves on being professional, hardworking and determined to work and advocate for students."

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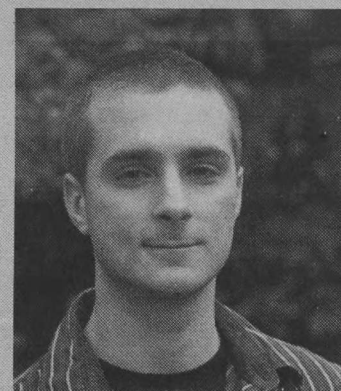
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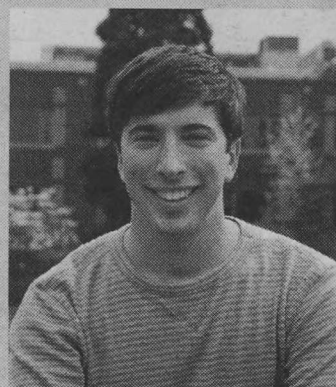
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McKenzie Weber
VP of University Affairs

ASSU has a \$150,000 budget for all of its operations.

In 2009, ASSU incorporated RedZone as the official student spirit club.

ASSU distributes \$60,000 among 160 student clubs.

The Sustainable University Revolving Fund received \$10,000 for campus conservation projects with ASSU's help.

In '08-'09, ASSU succeeded in placing students on several university committees.

1,288 students voted in '09 elections

A 'general sense' of fear at KeyArena graduation



Joshua Lynch

The Spectator

Nursing graduate Kaitlin Hipp was just one of several who decorated their cap for potential employers. The ceremony was at KeyArena.

Carolyn K. Huynh
Staff Writer

KeyArena was the fitting new venue for the 1,100 undergraduate and 700 graduate students who showed up June 14 to walk across the grand stage and receive their diploma.

The switch from Qwest Field to KeyArena to host the commencement ceremony was inevitable.

After playing basketball in the KeyArena at the Seattle Center for two decades, Seattle University

went Division I and made a comeback at the arena this year.

KeyArena became the new house for the university's basketball team as well as for the graduation ceremonies.

"It was great to have the graduation ceremony at a place that had some historic and future meaning to the university," said Casey Corr, director of strategic communications. "It seemed appropriate to use KeyArena as the venue considering we use it for our new Division I basketball team."

Music Professor Quinton Morris' string quartet also marked Seattle U's first in-house string performance at the ceremony. His music also delivered the requisite pomp and circumstance to accompany the students as they crossed the stage.

Kerry Keller-Ash, administrative assistant to the provost, said the university's goal was to achieve a more "intimate" feel and wanted to choose a site that would fit with the changing times.

Attendance at graduation was 14,000 friends and family members.

President Stephen Sundborg, S.J. addressed the graduates and nursing major Christine Topinka delivered the keynote undergraduate commencement speech.

Sundborg centered his speech on the recession.

"The world of your commencement day is a much less secure world than the day of your entrance into college," Sundborg said. "For all of our advancement, progress and new technology, you are part of a world that has been humbled by an economic crisis that has shown the fragility of your systems and the false promises and often

greed of our economic leaders."

Though the ceremony was an important landmark, the post-graduation blues have only just begun for some.

Even as students marched to-

The world of your commencement day is a much less secure world [...]

Stephen Sundborg, S.J.
President

ward uncertain times, emotions were high.

"There is a general sense of financial fear among all of us graduates," said Antonio Uriarte, a recent graduate with a degree in art who is currently on the lookout for an employment opportunity in photography and sports writing. "But at the same time, there is also a sense of freedom."

Parents were still able to retain hope for their sons and daughters.

"I am just so proud of my son," said Kathleen Casper of her son, Alex. "I am not at all worried about where he is going to go in life, even with this economic downturn. He'll be just fine."

While studies have shown that 70 percent of 2009 college graduates are still on the hunt for a job, there are a lucky few that have managed to evade the recession.

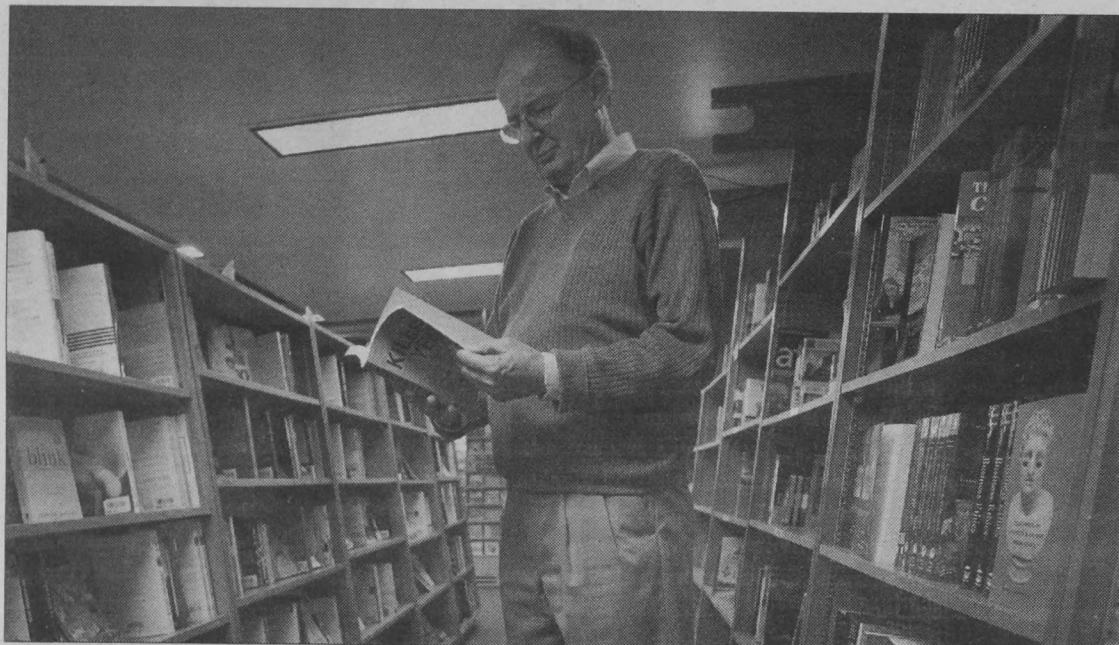
"I'm lucky enough to have landed a job, so I'm working, which I plan on doing for a couple years before I tackle grad school," said Stef Rabey, an international business graduate.

Despite the diversity in everyone's future plans, Rabey said graduates were exactly in the same moment that day.

"Everybody's in this strange transition stage where we're not students anymore, but don't quite want to be labeled as 'adults' yet," she said. "So I feel like we're all taking it one step at a time and figuring out what to do with our lives."

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Students oppose outsourcing using Facebook



Braden VanDragt

The Spectator

Steen Halling, psychology professor, opposes outsourcing Seattle U's bookstore to a private company.

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McKeon is education. "The university hasn't been very forthcoming with information on what a change like this would actually mean to the university," said McKeon, a sophomore political science and Spanish major. "But they've done a good job of communicating through mass e-mails, saying things like, 'We are reviewing the contract.'"

"We're trying to bring accurate information to the students," he added.

The group plans to orchestrate a post-card writing campaign over the

summer, hoping to bring in parent support. McKeon said the group is, "not trying to be subversive. We just want to rally enough student support so we can be a part of the decision making process."

Gonzaga University, another Jesuit institution, underwent a similar decision-making process in 2008.

Despite the fact that 20 of the United States' 28 Jesuit universities now outsource their bookstores, Gonzaga found that it would be advantageous to remain in control of their store, the "Zagshop."

It is a common business practice to review a business model every so often, but all public information points to Seattle U's Bookstore as being successful. The National Association of College Stores and Independent College Bookstore Association rated Seattle U's store among the top financial performers in the country.

The industry average for independent bookstore profits, according to the ICBA, is around 6 percent annually. Seattle U's bookstore returns 11 percent.

With numbers like these, the

caveat for universities is that outsourcing offers an attractive signing bonus. However, to return profits lost in this bonus and in commissions paid to the university, third-party bookstores often raise the cost of textbooks by as much as 25 percent above what independent bookstores charge.

Currently, all bookstore profit returns to the university, providing funds for miscellaneous aid as well as the bookstore's work-study program. The Seattle U Bookstore makes \$500,000 to \$600,000 a year for the university and contributes \$400,000 of "in kind" services like discounts and scholarships.

We're trying to bring accurate information to the students.

Seamus McKeon
Co-Founder of SASUB

This work-study program provides 10 permanent positions and 30 work-study positions at the university. The work-study contribution adds up to about \$80,000 in financial aid, which includes a full textbook scholarship for every employee for each quarter spent studying at Seattle U.

Mario Mata, a sophomore nursing major and bookstore employee, emphasized the negative impacts of ending the program should a third party lease the store.

"I wouldn't have that extra income to help cover what scholarships and loans don't," Mata said. "So far, no one has really sat us [SU Bookstore employees] down and talked about what outsourcing would mean."

Until a final decision is made, employees will retain their jobs, and Smith said a contract with an outside company would include a stipulation that current employees keep their jobs.

Professor Gary Chamberlain wonders about the security of bookstore employment.

"Is there any evidence their [SU Bookstore employees] wages will stay the same or improve under new management?" Chamberlain asked. "Often, big companies come in and keep the staff for a year and then move on so they can bring in new employees with lower starting wages. I would like to see a guarantee for a period of three to five years for the staff."

The university has not yet begun to take bids from companies interested in leasing the store. A final decision will not be made until after the review period in fall quarter.

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In halls, triples are optional, lounges are open with upgrades



Braden VanDragt

The Spectator

Students and parents brave the rain during move-in day last year. Changes in Housing policy have dropped overcapacity.

Veronica Lim
Staff Writer

Housing and Residence Life will offer students new options with which to combat the housing crunch, with triples being optional and the lounges kept open.

Students can opt for "efficiency triples" rather than transitional triples. These renamed rooms will accommodate returning students who were offered the option to live three to a room. Students will choose to live in triples. Last year, those who registered for housing last were typically placed in transitional triples.

Romando Nash, director of Housing, said there will be around 770 incoming freshmen for the class of 2013.

Nash said all lounges in the buildings will not house students. Previously, lounges were converted into quads, rooms housing four students with two sets of bunk beds. Since the Lemieux Library will be closed, Housing hopes to reserve the quads as study space for residents.

Nash found last year to be a learning period for how to deal with overcrowding.

"Last year went well. We did a lot of proactive things about triples," Nash said. "We posted pictures online and a lot of the best friends came from triples. People were comfortable with their roommates, and it was ultimately a good situation."

In order to improve the living environment, Housing will not only keep the lounges open year round, but also upgrade the furniture and implement wireless Internet in all residence hall education centers.

Floor lounges will remain open with furniture upgrades.

At the end of the 2008-2009 school year, some concern arose over the housing situation sophomores and juniors would face next year.

Nash denied that Housing and Residence Life has encouraged sophomores to live off campus in recent years.

"Sophomores are definitely not told to live off campus," Nash said.

Historically, juniors and seniors receive on-campus housing by request. This year, however, there is a limit on the availability of room assignments.

Junior Bryan Tso said living on campus was convenient. Other factors, however, led him to choose off-campus housing.

"My priorities were being close to campus and for me to spend less than it cost to live in the residence halls," Tso said. "If you really aren't picky, I don't think housing is too difficult."

The advantages of living on campus include proximity to classes, opportunities to meet new people and the resources at hand like the Writing Center, Campus Ministry and Counseling and Psychological Services. Housing hopes to have 65 percent of the student body living on campus.

Nash cited the learning communities on some floors of Campion, Bellarmine and Xavier as a benefit of living on campus.

"Learning communities are a great benefit offered to everyone. We're guaranteed on the floors someone to connect with," said sophomore and resident assistant Tori Head. "We can have a comfort zone on the floor and feel like we're living at our home away from home."

A new residence hall is under construction at 12th Avenue and E. Cherry Street across from Logan Field. This new building, designated specifically for juniors and seniors, is a set of apartments similar to the Archbishop Thomas Murphy Apartments. It is expected to open fall quarter 2011.

It will include different features such as four bedroom quads with two baths. According to the Housing, these new apartments will not only add more space but will diversify the school.

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Undergrads have average card debt of \$3,173

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UWire—A 2009 report by Sallie Mae, the nation's leading provider of student loans, revealed undergraduates are carrying record-high credit card balances.

The average amount of debt carried by undergraduate student cardholders has increased by 46 percent since 2004, reaching \$3,173.

Here's a look at how some students have dealt with acquiring and managing credit card debt:

Alex Bowman obtained his first credit card in high school after his \$500 car loan application was denied for not being high enough. Bowman, a college junior, wanted to buy a car his friend's father was selling for \$500, but the bank only gave vehicle loans that were at least \$2,000.

Once he got a credit card to pay for the car, Bowman said, he quickly hit his \$1,000 limit because of accrued interest and late fees. Although he now only has \$600 of credit card debt—far below the national average for college students—he said if he could do it all over again, he would wait to get a credit card until he was financially secure.

"If you don't make enough money to pay bills on time every month, and you have to worry about other living expenses, a credit card is not an easy way out," Bowman said. "It is an easy way to dig yourself a bigger hole."

Jennifer Cook, a branch manager for Commerce Bank in Lawrence, Kan., said students should only use

credit cards for overdraft protection. Cook said half of the university students she worked with were generally financially responsible, and the other half were not.

It really boggles my mind coming out of high school that they have not even been shown a checking account.

Jennifer Cook
Commerce Bank Branch Manager

"It really boggles my mind coming out of high school that they have not even been shown a checking account, how to keep a checking account or how to write a check," Cook said.

Chris Buckland, a Topeka, Kan. graduate student, said he accumulated about \$3,000 in credit card debt while he was an undergraduate student. He said he got his first credit card in case of emergencies but still maxed out its \$500 limit, so he ordered another card. Buckland said he racked up a majority of his debt when he studied in Germany last year. He now has three credit cards.

"I don't like using my card," Buckland said. "My first two credit cards, I just have a balance on them. I don't use them anymore. I just pay off the balances."

Danya Goodman, a Bedford, Mass. graduate student, has two credit cards: One card gives her 1 percent cash back on purchases and 3 percent cash back on gas, and the

other card is used as an emergency in case something happens to the other one.

Goodman said she used her credit card almost all the time

when purchasing items because she gets money back, but that she only used it if she knew she had enough money.

Shortly after receiving her undergraduate degree, Goodman's car needed repair, but she could not afford to immediately pay it off. She applied for a credit card that had a 0 percent interest rate and used it to pay for the repairs, paying the balance off over the next two months.

"You can take advantage of credit cards if you understand how they work," Goodman said.

The study conducted by Sallie Mae found that 60 percent of undergraduates had been surprised at how high their credit card balance had reached, and 40 percent said they had charged items knowing they did not have the money to pay the bill.

The study also found that only 17 percent of undergraduates said they regularly paid off all cards each month.

Paige Hendrick, a college senior, said she would go out to dinner with her friends and instead of splitting the bill, she would put the entire bill on her card and have her friends pay her in cash. Then she would go out to bars and spend the cash instead of using the credit card, which her parents would see online.

"I would never give my parents the cash. My parents just finally were fed up and said, 'We're not doing it anymore' and they cut it completely up," Hendrick said.

Hendrick said the \$1,000 credit card she had was maxed out and that she wanted another one for emergencies but did not trust herself not to abuse it.

Hendrick's past experience with credit cards gave her an opportunity to offer advice and to warn students who were still accumulating debt.

I just have a balance on them. I don't use them anymore. I just pay off the balances.

Chris Buckland
Kansas graduate student

"Immediately stop using your credit card until you can pay them off," Hendrick said. "Pay as much as you can and try to get that debt off as quickly as possible."

Cook said she could help university students cancel their cards or

set up a payment plan at Commerce Bank if they were unable to make payments on time.

"A lot of kids want to hide from the problem, and that's not what you should do," Cook said. "You're in college now. You need to confront the problem, get it taken care of and resolve it."

William Lewis, a professor of personal finance, said credit card companies could be forgiving when it came to late fees and annual percentage rates.

"If you've been a customer of a credit card company and you don't overdraw and you usually pay on time, they'll waive those things periodically," Lewis said. "I think people ought to call or to ask—'Hey listen times are tight, things are going down. I'd like to get this APR lowered.'"

Goodman said she paid off all of her credit card debt each month and felt lucky to have always had a job that allowed her to pay for things and parents who had helped her out when she could not afford something.

Bowman said some students did not realize that whatever balance remained at the end of the month would be added to the principal and charged interest every month until it was paid off. He said he paid the minimum because it was all he could afford.

Bowman had one simple suggestion for students who have massive credit card debt: "Don't buy shit you don't need."

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Fund established for aid during recession

Fernando Sioson
Staff Writer

In light of current economic troubles, the university anticipates more students will require additional financial aid to remain enrolled. In response, Student Financial Services has established a new fund to assist students in need.

Student Financial Services has designed the Academic Year Fund, or AY Fund, to help both graduates and undergraduates whose financial circumstances have been negatively impacted by the recession.

Money from the AY Fund will supplement scholarship money or financial aid that a student has already received from the university, the government or other external parties, as determined by merit or the 2009-2010 FAFSA.

The total scholarship could be anywhere from \$1,000 to \$5,000, but any grant larger than \$3,000 requires approval from Student Financial Services administrators.

Janet Cantelon, director of Student Financial Services, and James White, associate provost of Enrollment Services, established the AY Fund when it became apparent that some students might need additional financial assistance.

"It's common for the financial situations of many students' families to change over the course of four years," Cantelon said. "This fund will help those families push through their financial problems, especially in these difficult times."

The university has set aside approximately \$250,000 from funds the university gets from tuition to start the AY Fund.

Cantelon and White sent a school-wide e-mail in May providing details on how to apply for additional financial assistance. According to the e-mail, "any student who is finding it difficult to cover any academic expenses may contact a financial services counselor."

Part of Cantelon's reasoning for the fund was that students need to be able to fund not just their academic experience, but their entire educational experience.

"There are a number of opportunities at Seattle University beyond those in the classroom," Cantelon said. "We want to make sure that every student is given the chance to pursue an education at Seattle University, regardless of their financial situation."

Counselors evaluate the individual hardships of students, which could range from decreases in income, a loss of scholarship money or the loss of a job.

The university set aside \$250,000 to start the AY Fund.

If external opportunities, such as federal aid and non-Seattle U scholarships, are unavailable for the student, then the counselor requires documentation and financial notices of the student's need in order to justify the withdrawal of funds from the AY.

Once the AY Fund becomes the final option for the student, the counselor is then cleared to temporarily assign additional financial aid to that student. All grants are awarded on a quarterly basis, but students can reapply in between quarters.

"This money will certainly help us to do our jobs in helping students," said John Wilkins, a financial aid counselor who usually sees about 30 students per week regarding their finances. "It's limited in dealing with major financial crises, though, and we can only help so many students with this new money."

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All books still in circulation

Officials say noise shouldn't be a problem, keeping in touch with community via Web



is restricted at the interim library so shelves could be higher and books could be packed in tighter, ultimately allowing more of the library's collection to be held at the temporary space, as opposed to storage.

We're going to try to have all [of student's book] requests pulled within an hour.

Judy Solberg
Director of Public Services

The building that houses the interim library was not originally designed to be a temporary library space but rather to be the new Facilities Services building, so there is very limited space for books.

According to the library's blog, only 34,000 or so of Lemieux Library's 225,000 books can be stored at the temporary space, but Solberg said these books were carefully selected based on popularity, among other things.

If a student is looking for a book that is not currently in the temporary space, they can borrow it through Summit, a network of 20 or so university libraries that shares books with students at other universities.

Because access to books is restricted, all students wishing to check out books must submit online requests. Solberg said requests are usually filled within two hours.

But Solberg said as library traffic picks up in the fall, there will be adjustments made to deal with the increase in books being checked out.

"We're going to be moving some staff around," she said. "We're going to try to have all requests pulled within an hour."

Despite this major change, everything is pretty much business as usual for the library. Computers line the walls, and students continue to work quietly at tables moved from the reading room. Student traffic is slow, but, according to librarian Trish Stone, it's not a cause for concern.

"It's not unusually slow," Stone said. "Summers aren't very busy in general."

Though the space is smaller than Lemieux, all of the library's major services are still being offered at the temporary space. There are equally as many computers available for student use, a printing station, laptops and cameras available for check out.

There's also a large room with a projector and several tables and chairs. It's intended to be a classroom, but when not in use for class, it's available for students to use for things like putting together presentations and may even be used as a quiet space, if desired.

Nothing is fixed; the interim library may be rearranged.

Solberg said "nothing is fixed to the floor" and furniture might be rearranged. Because of this, Solberg said the communications team at the library is always looking for feedback from staff and

students about the arrangement of the space and will likely be making some changes to the layout before classes begin in the fall.

If we continue to run on time, the excavation will be done and the foundations will be laid

Steve De Bruhl
Project Manager

One of the major concerns expressed about the huge library construction project is how the noise will affect students once classes resume in the fall. According to Steve De Bruhl, project manager, there isn't much to worry about.

"I don't think noise will be a big problem," De Bruhl said. "If we continue to run on time, the excavation will be done and the foundations will be laid, which will eliminate much of the noise."

For students concerned with updates on the library, the library has frequently information and a project timeline at its Web site. Facilities will also be holding information sessions in the fall.

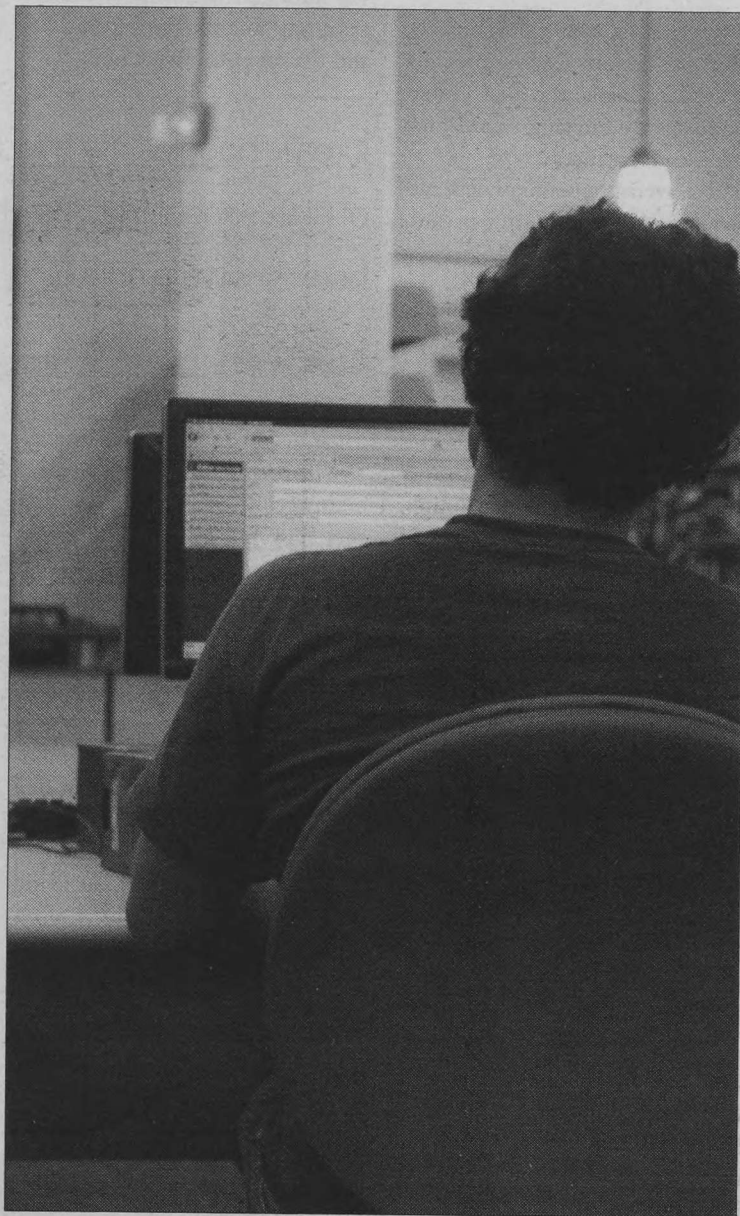
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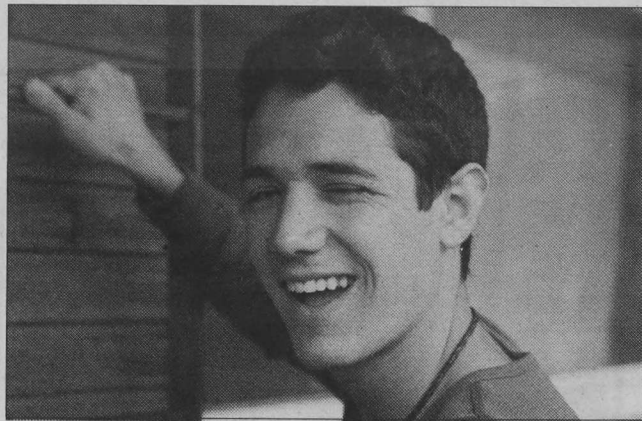
Above, the interim library boasts as many computers as the Lemieux Library. The converted Qwest Building that will serve as the library until fall quarter of 2010 also has considerable study space.

What advice do you have for freshmen?



Cassandra Little
Senior, Strategic Communications and Public Affairs

"Make time to build a good relationship with your adviser, and plan time to do a study abroad."



Diego Gonzales-Medina
Senior, Economics

"Go to the events and lectures. You can learn more about where you want to go by listening to the most motivated people in their field."



Kavik Frol
Senior, Civil Engineering

"Play ultimate frisbee."

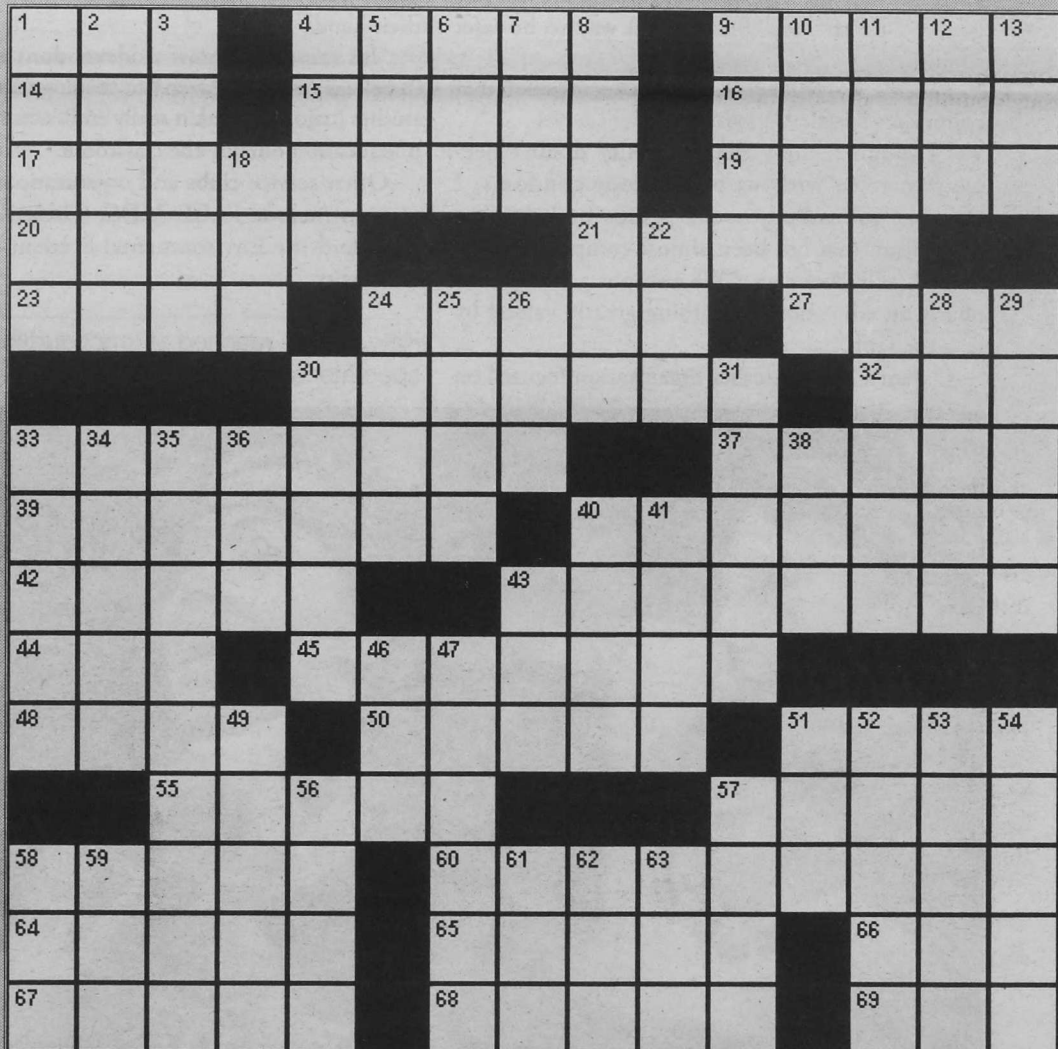


Katie Sweezy
Senior, Photography

"Take full advantage of the sweet potato fries in C-Street."

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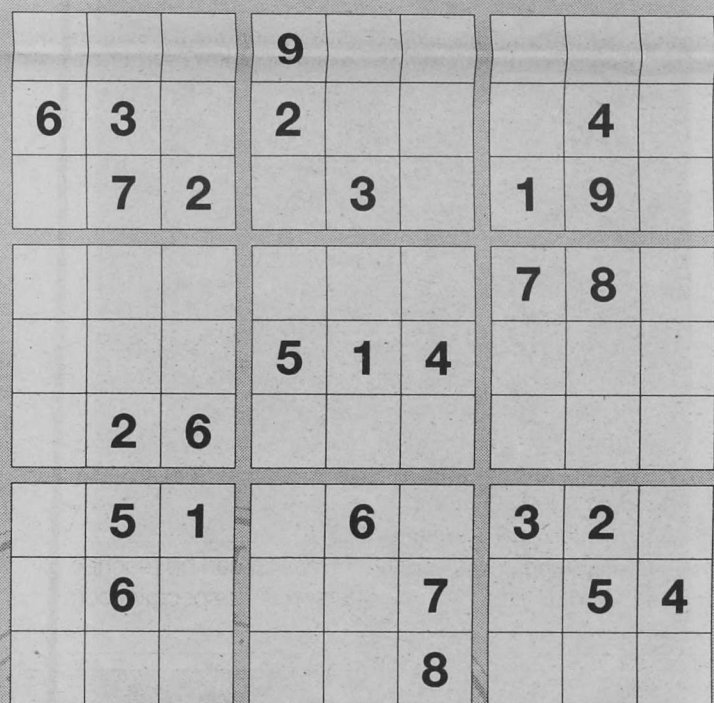
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Across

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- 4. Short gaiters
- 9. One on slopes
- 14. ____ roll
- 15. Lofty nest
- 16. Brief appearance
- 17. Mr. Spock's catchword
- 19. "Forbidden" fruit
- 20. Handle
- 1. Madagascar monkey
- 23. Coup d'____
- 24. Mends a shoe
- 27. New Age musician John

Down

- 30. River of Hades
- 32. Tax pro
- 33. Preserve
- 37. AKA
- 39. Go along with
- 40. Loss of memory
- 2. Nostrils
- 43. Resounding loudly
- 44. ____ little teapot...
- 45. Entirely
- 48. Animal raised by humans, abandoned by mother
- 50. Sherpa's home
- 51. Dues

Down

- 55. Bury
- 57. Ruin
- 58. Collect
- 60. Cabal
- 4. Organization
- 65. Fragrant resin
- 66. Chow down
- 67. Leg joints
- 68. Entice
- 69. Hwy.
- 1. Idaho capital
- 2. Bay

- 3. Hood-shaped anatomical part
- 4. Starch used in puddings
- 5. Architect I.M.
- 6. Circle segment
- 7. Acapulco aunt
- 8. Monger
- 9. Con
- 10. Gone
- 11. Inexact
- 12. Conger
- 13. Fish eggs
- 18. Giant Mel
- 22. That, in Tijuana
- 24. Beat it!
- 25. Presidential battleground state
- 26. Novelist Deighton
- 28. European kingdom
- 29. Attacks
- 30. Bikini blast
- 31. Nursemaid
- 33. Crazy

- 34. Brightly colored lizard
- 35. Illuminate
- 36. Born
- 38. Human limb, section of a journey
- 40. ____ breve
- 41. Public walk
- 43. Soft food for infants
- 46. Single unit
- 47. Three lines of verse
- 49. Come afterward
- 51. Calendar abbr.
- 52. Conger catcher
- 53. Acclaim
- 54. Glide along smoothly
- 56. Cookbook amts.
- 57. Sealed document
- 58. Charge
- 59. Adult males
- 61. Bass, e.g.
- 62. 13th letter of the Hebrew alphabet
- 63. Roadie's burden

KNITTING KNERDS

Service clubs aim to educate

Katy McCourt-Basham
Staffwriter

If there's a single thread uniting many students at Seattle University, it's a motivation to be involved with something they are passionate about.

From cultural heritage, to fashion, to mathematics, the presence of more than 100 official clubs on campus is a testament to the diversity of interests among the Seattle U student body.

These clubs are a great way to make friends and cultivate interests, but there are also several clubs and student groups that are also focused on the interests and wellbeing of others, a value that comprises a large part of the spirit of Seattle U.

One such group is MPowerment, a peer-to-peer education and outreach group affiliated with the Lifelong AIDS Alliance. Though it is not an official Seattle U club, many of the university's students are involved.

MPowerment is a group focused on outreach work with queer youth, ages 16 to 22. The organization works toward education concerning homelessness, AIDS/STI prevention and drug and alcohol harm reduction.

"We're a nonjudgmental group," says Matisse Fletcher, senior international studies major and MPowerment member. "Because all of the volunteers are in the same age group, it's easier to connect with people. We're not wagging fingers at anyone. We're just trying to say 'Hey, we're just like you. We do this too, but here's a way to be safer about it.'"

Fletcher says MPowerment is an organization that epitomizes Seattle U's values.

"Though I know the university doesn't necessarily agree with us passing out condoms, I feel that we embody social justice by helping a population that has been almost completely overlooked," Fletcher says. "We also put a strong emphasis on education, something greatly valued by Jesuit schools."

Oxfam Club is another organization focused on

education. The club is affiliated with Oxfam America, an international nonprofit that works on finding lasting solutions to poverty and injustice.

With around 60 participating students, Oxfam is one of the biggest service clubs on campus. It puts on educational events and activities related to advocacy and awareness of global poverty and climate change. One of the most popular events is Fair Trade Week, which happens every January. The event features activities like movie screenings and an activity known as Fair Trade Top Chef.

"I believe Oxfam truly embodies Seattle U's values," says Kraig Cook, junior international studies major and former Oxfam Club president. "We believe it's important to remember that as university students living in Seattle, we are in a position of power to advocate for those who can't advocate for themselves."

Though many Seattle U clubs are active in serving the community, there are few more physically active than Habitat for Humanity. The club works to get students involved in building houses for those in need.

"Our goal is to get a group of students out to build at least once a month," says Sean Baird, incoming Habitat For Humanity Club president.

Baird says he believes Habitat for Humanity embraces the Jesuit value of education in a slightly different way—students are not only educated about social justice through community service, they are taught how to work with their hands.

"It's something most students don't really learn in college," says Baird, senior theology and religious studies major. "I think it really embraces the concept of education outside the classroom."

Other service clubs and organizations active on campus include FACE AIDS, Circle K, Calcutta Club and the Environmental Students of Seattle University.

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the classroom.

Sean Baird

Habitat For Humanity Club Pres.



Braden vanBragt

RedZone, Seattle U's spirit club, aims to boost attendance and cheering at Seattle U's games.

WHICH DOOR WILL No shortage of options

With ease, add a club to the 160



Braden VanDragt

The Spectator

The Knitting Knerds is a club of around 25 students who are experts or novices with needles.

Francis Dinger
Staff Writer

While Seattle University has grown in many ways in the past three years, perhaps nothing has seen greater growth than the number—and variation—of student clubs.

"In 2006 there were 96 recognized clubs," says Renata Opoczynski, coordinator for the Associated Students of Seattle University. "In three years, [Seattle U's number of clubs] has almost doubled in size. We're expecting to hit about 200 clubs this next school year."

In the 2008-2009 school year, around 160 clubs were recognized.

Seattle U's club system encourages growth because it only takes six student ID numbers, a faculty adviser, a brief mission statement and the filing of a few single page forms for a club to be recognized by the university.

However, not all student organizations choose the conventional route right from the get-go. Jeffrey Ball, a 2009 public affairs graduate, helped establish BRIDGE Club, or Building Relationships Internationally and Domestically to Globally Educate, in the spring of 2008, but the club was not recognized by the university until fall quarter 2008. The club was originally a group of like-minded students meeting to discuss issues of egalitarianism without a need for capital.

"Originally, we didn't seek out funding," Ball says, "Half of our existence was put into trying to establish our routine and fine tune our ideology. We didn't really need any money until we tried to throw a large event."

But winter quarter, BRIDGE hosted "People: Confronting Homelessness," a weeklong event focused on advocating for the homeless.

"[When we sought funding] ASSU was really helpful and cooperative," Ball says. Though BRIDGE is now an officially funded club, the club's early days are a demonstration of the student zeal that has allowed so many clubs to grow out of similar situations.

"Very few clubs fizzle at the end of the [school]

year," Opoczynski says. "They last for 10 or 20 years on average."

Club success at Seattle U cannot be boiled down to a formula, but the system has been served well by the fact that it is almost entirely student organized, all the way down to finances.

ASSU is technically the largest organization on campus, as it by definition includes all undergrads. Opoczynski says the organization is a primary advocate for student needs on all levels.

The ASSU Appropriations Committee, a body of five students, is responsible for voting on all club funding. Clubs are required to make a presentation to the committee and decisions are made by simple majority vote. When a request is granted, funds are often available in as little as 24 hours, though, responsible lending is practiced.

"Funds are monitored ... We work on a reimbursement/invoice process," Opoczynski says.

[Clubs] last for 10 or 20 years on average.

Renata Opoczynski
Asst. Director of Student Activities

Despite the fact all funds remain under ASSU's control until invoices are presented, the process remains transparent in that minutes for all decision-making meetings are posted online and students may request further information in the ASSU office. Funds are monitored simply as a precaution against abuse.

All clubs are guaranteed a start-up fund of \$50, and in spite of the increase in the number of student clubs, ASSU has no plans to turn anyone away. The clubs budget will be at least \$65,000 to start the year. ASSU is looking to make this its fourth year in which all funds are appropriated in service of students.

"The whole purpose of this is to fund events and experiences for all college students," Opoczynski says. "It's about adding value to a student's experience."

Students can check out many of the university's clubs at the Seattle U Street Fair Sep. 30 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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RED ZONE

WILL YOU OPEN?

tions to get involved

entertainment

Five spots where eating cheap is still delicious

Money can be scarce in college, and Seattle is far from the cheapest place to live. Here's a cheat sheet to a wide variety of cheap, yet delicious cuisine within easy walking distance of campus.

Matthew Martell
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Seattle is a city with a remarkable culinary culture, and the Capitol Hill neighborhood offers more varieties of food than most people can even imagine. On every block of Broadway, the hungry student is likely to pass by dozens of options, from Ethiopian cuisine to Mexican morsels to French baguettes and more.

The diversity of cuisine on the Hill is never the issue; it's finding the restaurant that caters to the typical student price range that's the tricky part. But fortunately for hungry Seattle University students, there are a number of restaurants close to home that offer entire meals for the price of a fancy cup of coffee and a muffin.

Located just steps away from Bellarmine Hall is Ginger Lime, a Vietnamese bubble tea shop and eatery with an eye for attracting student diners. Michael Duong, Ginger Lime's

owner, noted that the restaurant tailors its menu to be affordable for students.

"A large part of our business is provided by students, so we like to offer something back to them," Duong said.

Ginger Lime offers student specials—entrees with a side of salad and rice for only \$6.25—Monday through Friday from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Also situated right next to campus is Café Presse, a French restaurant only a minute away from Xavier Hall that, while not specifically a student-oriented business, offers delicious food at highly affordable prices.

"Seattle University faculty, students and staff are always eating here," said Michelle Mercier, an employee at Presse. "We don't offer student discounts, but our prices are low enough that we don't really have to."

Mercier isn't kidding. Presse offers a variety of delicious and filling French dishes that never run more than \$8 a plate. Students can dine on mushroom, cheese, ham or herb omelets for just \$5, or they can stop by and snack on Presse's delicious French fries for just \$4.

Of course, some of the best cheap eats on Capitol Hill are worth venturing off campus to taste. Rancho Bravo, a cash-only Mexican restaurant located four blocks from campus, specializes in cheap, filling and authentic Mexican cuisine. At Rancho Bravo, diners can get a gigantic glass of Horchata for \$2, equally enormous burritos for under \$5 a piece and plates of two tacos for only \$2.

Students in the mood for cheap and authentic New York-style pizza should check out Hot Mama's, a pizzeria located just two blocks west of Broadway and E. Pine Street. Pizza by the slice never sets the eater back more than \$3, and one can get a filling meal with a large soda for under \$7.

Hot Mama's also offers some delightfully non-sequitur flavors of pizza for the adventurous diner; their Chicken Garlic pizza tastes like a Caesar salad tossed onto hand-made crust, and their pesto pizza is a scrumptious and one-of-a-kind pie worth experiencing in spite of its off-putting green hue.

Another restaurant worth checking out is Seattle's famous Jai Thai, located at 235 Broadway Ave. E. It's a great place to go for a sit-down dinner, but it is also ideal for an affordable on-the-go eating experience.

While Jai Thai's enormous Thai entrees are pretty reasonably priced (between \$8 and \$12 a plate, typically), they also offer window service during the daytime, where single items are served at unbelievably low prices.

Students can grab a plate of Chicken Satay for \$2, an order of Phad Thai for \$3 and a can of soda for only a buck. They also offer dollar egg rolls and orders of curry at the window, so the diner can mix and match for a delicious meal for under \$10.

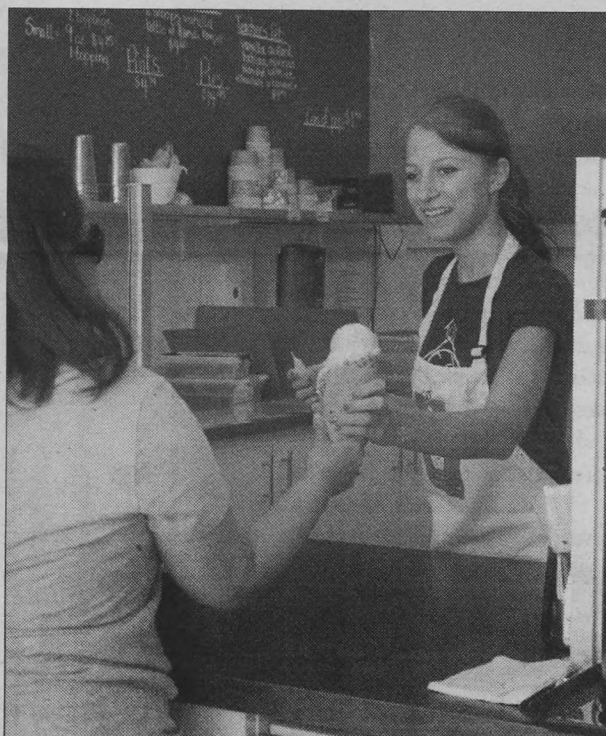
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Located on the edge of campus, Ginger Lime, above, is an irresistible and cheap lunch and dinner option. The locally-owned restaurant has a discounted student menu that is soon to expand, according to owner Michael Duong. For now though, sandwiches are just \$3.95.



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Old School Frozen Custard, at left, has just a few flavors but lots of options just blocks from campus. Café Presse, above, is practically on campus and serves up both espresso and cheap eats. Students will find it an ideal study spot with free wireless Internet access.

New shops on the block will satisfy any sweet tooth

Sweet deals on frozen treats and baked goodies surround campus at four Capitol Hill spots.

Katie Farden
Assistant News Editor

Nothing beats the dorm-room blues like a shoebox from home filled with mom's homemade chocolate chip cookies.

Nothing, that is, except the smorgasbord of frozen treats, pastries and cupcakes found within walking distance of Seattle University.

Approximately three blocks north of the university's upper mall lies Molly Moon's, a homemade ice cream shop that opened its doors to eager Capitol Hill residents in April.

Doling out free samples of unique flavors like beet sorbet, salted caramel and honey lavender, Molly Moon's gently guides customers to expand their palates.

The shop also satisfies the less adventurous ice cream connoisseur with the basics—delectable chocolate and strawberry are menu staples.

A single scoop, costing \$3, is more than enough to get you sugar buzzed.

The shop uses mostly local dairy suppliers' products in its ice cream. Since opening last spring, Molly Moon's has quickly become a favorite spot for Seattle U students taking a study break on a warm spring evening.

If you find yourself on the south end of campus craving some creamy frozen goodness, give Old School Frozen Custard a try, located at 1316 E. Pike Street.

What exactly is frozen custard? Think Costco's soft-serve frozen yogurt, only a little more dense and velvety.

Old School Frozen Custard serves only three flavors: chocolate, (gluten free) vanilla and a "flavor of the day," a specialty flavor the staff whips up each day of the month.

Heath Bars, cookie dough, pretzels and other goodies comprise the long list of "mix-in" options showcased in glass jars. Also, the shop's blackboard boasts Signature Sundaes from \$5.50 to \$6.50.

Old School Frozen Custard also offers two things Molly Moon's lacks: plentiful indoor seating and fresh-baked homemade brownies for \$1.25.

"We've had a lot of repeat customers," says owner Nathan Hedin. "I think people are finally starting to figure out what frozen custard is."

Hedin recommends the "Ryan's Drizzle," scoops of vanilla custard topped with two freshly pulled shots of espresso.

If you seek espresso minus frozen custard, however, check out Stumptown Coffee on 12th Avenue.

While Stumptown is not the only coffee shop on the hill serving coffee roasted to perfection, its glass case full of baked goodies ranging from \$0.75 to \$3.10 trumps any other pastry case in the neighborhood.

Barista Josh Jaren says customers can't resist the Squash Harvest Bread. Also worth biting into, he says, are the blueberry mini Mighty-O Doughnuts.

The vibe inside Stumptown is more studious than inside Molly Moon's or Old School Frozen Custard. Still, it makes for a great spot to relax with a friend over cappuccinos and croissants.

Come July 22, Capitol Hill will welcome perhaps its sweetest neighbor yet: Cupcake Royale, dubbed this year by both Seattle

Weekly and Seattle Magazine the best cupcake bakery in the city.

The company already serves its moist little cakes topped with buttercream frosting in Madrona, Ballard and West Seattle. The Capitol Hill shop will be positioned snugly to Seattle U, at 111 E. Pike St.

Like Molly Moon's, the gourmet cupcake shop bakes with ingredients from local suppliers.

Take July's featured cupcake, the Strawberry 66. Baked with strawberries from Skagit Sun Farms and dairy products from Meadowsweet, the cupcake is 66 percent in-state ingredients.

"It's a fun, nostalgic feeling you get when you're here," says Valerie Corley, the company's office manager in Ballard. "I think customers like the relaxed, fun environment."

Most of Cupcake Royale's cupcakes are available for \$2.50. Half-dozen boxes—which make for perfect birthday gifts, 'I'm sorry' peace offerings or remedies for really bad days—cost \$14.25.

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Great venues just blocks away

Cover

success of Seattle's scene.

For the music lover in Seattle, there's almost too much going on at any given time.

Most large tours make a stop in the area, and high-capacity venues like The Showbox, The Paramount Theatre, The Moore Theatre, WaMu Theater and KeyArena are regular hosts to big-name acts like Kanye West, Lil' Wayne and Radiohead—all of whom played shows in town in the last year.

Seattle ends the summer with the three-day Bumbershoot Festival at Seattle Center, a celebration of local musicians and artists as well as nationally known bands. This year's headliners include The Black Eyed Peas, Modest Mouse and Katy Perry—it's not to be missed.

If big expensive shows aren't your thing, there are plenty of intimate venues scattered around Capitol Hill. Neumos, a club which has frequent all-ages shows and an awesome atmosphere, is only two blocks from Seattle U.

Neumos hosts all kinds of bands from all kinds of genres: a given week in the club's schedule could see hip-hop like UK superstar Dizzee Rascal, electronica from the grandiose M83 and rock from Jack White side-project The Raconteurs. The best part? It's doubtful any of the shows will cost more than \$20.

Another club close to campus is Chop Suey on E. Madison Street and 13th Avenue, which hosts more obscure acts.

For those nights when the clubs are doing the 21 and older thing, there's still hope. The Vera Project is an all-ages venue in Seattle Center that hosts some of the best local talent for dirt cheap, as well as an occasional tour.

Electronic freakout act Dan Deacon rocked the place in April, and it's always a good place to discover new, local music.

In addition to the vast amount of live music, Seattle has some of the best record stores around. Everyday Music, just a few blocks down Broadway on Pine, has a huge selection of new and used CDs and vinyl. Its used selection is also cheap—albums can be found for as low as \$2.50, and even recent, great-quality used stuff remains under \$10. It's very easy to lose track of time browsing through Everyday Music's massive racks.

Queen Anne's Easy Street Records also has a huge selection and the bonus of frequent free in-store performances. M.I.A., The Helio Sequence and Pearl Jam have all graced Easy Street with a performance, usually packing the place to the brim.

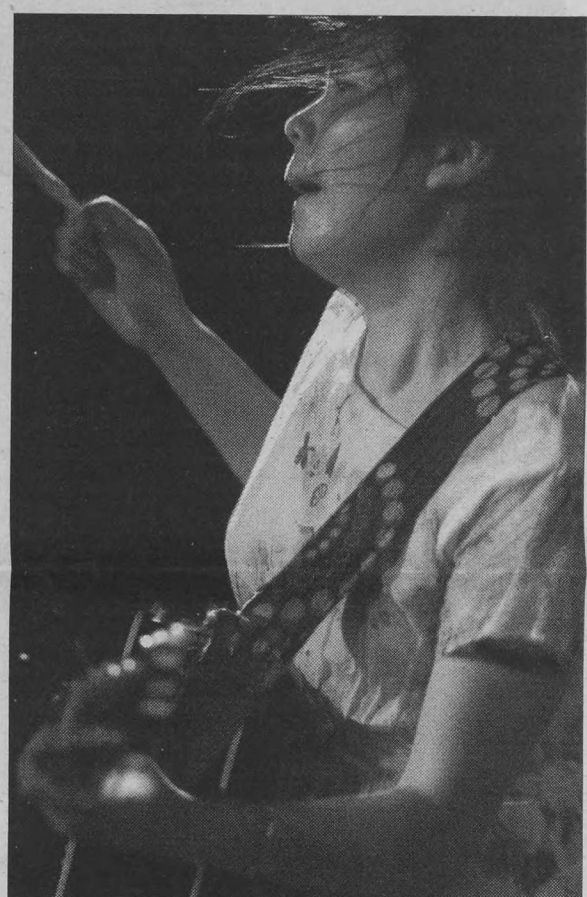
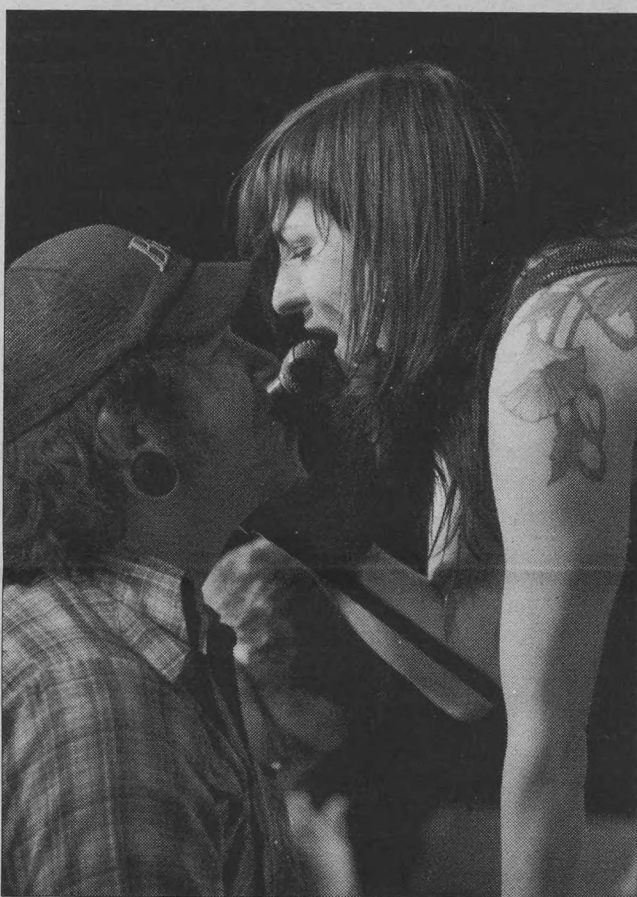
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Above, Flight of the Conchords performer Jermaine Clement entertains the crowd at the Paramount Theatre May 11. Below left, Von Iva performs at El Corazon, a venue in South Lake Union. Below right, Thao Nguyen at Chop Suey.



Fine Arts brings new faculty, new program this fall

Collaborations with local and national artists offer new perspectives in music, theater and visual arts in the coming year.

Mary Pauline Diaz
Arts and Entertainment Editor

In addition to the numerous theater productions, gallery exhibitions and concerts typical of each quarter, the Fine Arts Department is preparing for several significant steps this year, including changes in faculty as well as the new Bachelor in Music degree.

Fr. Josef Venker, S.J. began his position as chair of the Fine Arts Department earlier this month after Carol Wolfe Clay stepped down from the position she held for 13 years.

The department will also have two associate chairs for the first time: Clay, focusing on performing arts, until the end of fall quarter, and Franc Guerrero, focusing on visual arts.

"This way the needs of each division can be attended to in

a more focused way," Venker says. "I think it's going to be a year of trying new things and going forward."

One of those new things is the bachelor's degree for music in string performance. The program is the only conservatory-style collegiate music program in the Northwest and has already met this class's target enrollment of eight students.

"We're not trying to be a huge program here," says Quinton Morris, director of Chamber and Instrumental music. "Our program is small and selective for the best."

Though the program will focus on solo and chamber music, students will have the opportunity to participate in high-profile internships with Orchestra Seattle and the Auburn Symphony.

String performance major or not, the music community at Seattle U has much to look forward to, Morris says, pointing out the new pep band director and the upcoming new digital music lab.

Even beyond music, fine arts at

Seattle U are expanding.

Visual arts welcomes new faculty member Alexander Mutton, who brings experience in Web-based media and time-based multimedia to the digital design program.

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Franc Guerrero
Associate Chair of Fine Arts

"It's going to round out the program in a really great way," Guerrero says. "It's going to allow us to really complete the curriculum for our students in order to keep up with what's really happening."

In addition, local artists Gretchen Bennett, 2-D artist, and Joe Park, painter, will teach as adjunct faculty. Wynne Greenwood will also return as adjunct faculty

for winter quarter to teach video-based art, and puppet artist Brian Kooser is again artist-in-residence.

Kooser has been working with students on "Bloody Henry," an unconventional puppet rendition of the life of Henry VIII, opening Sept. 24.

In the fall, students can also expect exhibitions in the galleries around campus. The Kinsey gallery, now located in the new Admissions and Alumni Building, and the Vashon Room, located in the Fine Arts building, will host "Women Empowered," a collection of photographs by Phil Borges.

Borges partnered with the humanitarian organization CARE to examine the role of female empowerment in global poverty alleviation, traveling to Asia, Africa and South America to photograph women who "have empowered themselves and their communities," according to his Web site.

Until Sept. 30, the Hedreen Gallery of the Lee Center is currently featuring "(((sparks)))" an

interactive video display where the viewer uses a video game dance pad to dodge lightning bolts and hurricane debris.

"(((sparks)))", created by Miami duo TM Sisters, will be followed by a career survey of video work by Japanese artist Meiro Koizumi.

Hedreen curator Yoko Ott is currently working with the Wing Luke Asian Art Museum to develop related programming during the exhibition's run.

"I love that dialogue, plugging the Hedreen in with other institutions and creating community partnership," Ott says.

Ott also hopes to increase that kind of dialogue with professors and students.

"It's not just any gallery. It's not a commercial gallery, it's not a museum. It's a gallery within a Fine Arts Department within an academic setting," Ott says. "Its potential to be used as a resource within that context is important."

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On the fast track, soccer to face D-I powers in '09



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The Spectator

Players and fans celebrate after the Redhawks score a goal. Men's soccer went 11-3-1 in 2008.

Redhawk soccer has just this year before being eligible for D-I Championships

Taylor Olson
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Seattle University's first official year in the transition to Division I brought impressive wins, tough losses and excitement about the future of the Redhawks.

Both men's and women's soccer posted winning seasons, the men ending with an 11-3-1 record and the women 12-5-3.

Brad Agoos, head coach for the men, said he believed the team was consistent all year despite all the travel.

"I really felt at the end of the season that we were playing extremely well but still getting better, which is the mark of a great team for me," Agoos said.

The success seen by the men's soccer team proved that, as Agoos thought, they were ready to compete in Division I, he said.

The men's soccer team has high hopes for where the program is headed after its transitional period

is over. Since men's and women's soccer are being fast-tracked, the teams will be eligible for post-season competition in the 2010-2011 season.

"Our ambition is to be the best program in the country. And we make sure to emphasize that winning national championships is only part of that equation," Agoos said. "That might seem ambitious, but if you don't want to be the best why be in it in the first place?"

Julie Woodward, head coach of the women's team, echoes Agoos' sentiments about the season. She

said she loved everything about the move to Division I.

"I think it made my student-athletes rise to the occasion, and they welcomed the challenge," Woodward said. "I was extremely impressed with each athlete's commitment and desire to improve."

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Men's Soccer Coach

Woodward believes the transition raised the standards for the continuing expectations and culture of the soccer program both on the field and in the classroom.

Woodward and Agoos said this year was a great way to start the transition and the results have them excited about the future of Seattle U athletics.

The fact that the women had a winning season against teams fully funded with scholarships impressed Woodward.

The 2009-2010 season will mark the last year of transition for the Seattle U soccer teams. In the transition to Division I, the Athletic Department was able to choose one sport to be "fast-tracked" and move to full and active D-I status two years early. The soccer teams will

be eligible to compete in NCAA D-I Championships in the 2010-2011 season.

For its last season in the transitional phase, however, the men's soccer team will take on some tough teams.

"Our first five games are against what could be some of the top teams in the country," Agoos said. "We're kind of throwing ourselves in the fire."

Among some of the names they will face this year are the University of New Mexico, the University of Denver and the Air Force Academy.

According to Agoos, the location, tradition and quality of Seattle U will all play roles into making the university a great name in college soccer, allowing them to be competitive with the schedule they've taken on this season.

"Overall, I am extremely happy we raised the level of our athletic programs to the same standards we hold with and for our academics here at the university—nothing but the best," Woodward said.

For the men's season and home opener, the team will face the University of Washington Sept. 1. On move-in day, Sept. 19, the men will take on Orange State.

"We hope from their first day on campus, we can get the freshman to be sport supporters," Agoos said.

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Underwater hockey brings the pucks to the pool

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Wearing Speedos, protective head-wear, a mask, snorkel, fins and gloves holding onto a small hockey stick, the Underwater Hockey Club looks more like a diving expedition than a sports team.

There aren't hard checks into the wall, and players don't regularly engage in gloves-off fights, but moving underwater is still physically demanding.

The length of play differs, with underwater hockey playing two 15-minute halves, instead of three periods.

"It's a great sport, and I hope to be doing this for a long time," said Alan Cabs, a member of the Seattle Sea Hammers.

Eric French, sophomore electrical engineering major, decided to play after hearing about it. French had never seen—let alone played—underwater hockey, but found the idea compelling. After a tutorial of how the game was played, Eric got in the water and gave it a try.

At the end of the game, which ended at 5-2, French said trying to

score shuffling the puck along the bottom of the pool was exhausting and different from regular ice hockey.

We've taken August off, but we're die-hards so we try not to take any time off.

Alan Cabs
Seattle Sea Hammers Member

"It was fun, but tiring for sure," French said.

Cabs and his team won the national championship in 2004 and 2005. The team's success stems from practices every Tuesday and Saturday in the Connolly Center pool.

"Sometimes they can go down to 12-minute halves," Cabs said. "It's just like regular hockey in the sense that the team with the highest score wins."

In general, teams consist of 10 people each, with six starters and four bench players. The same rule of 'no touching the puck with your hands' applies to underwater

hockey as well. A full game of six vs. six will typically take about half an hour to complete.

Underwater hockey uses both refs and lifeguards, one of the only sports with safety professionals present.

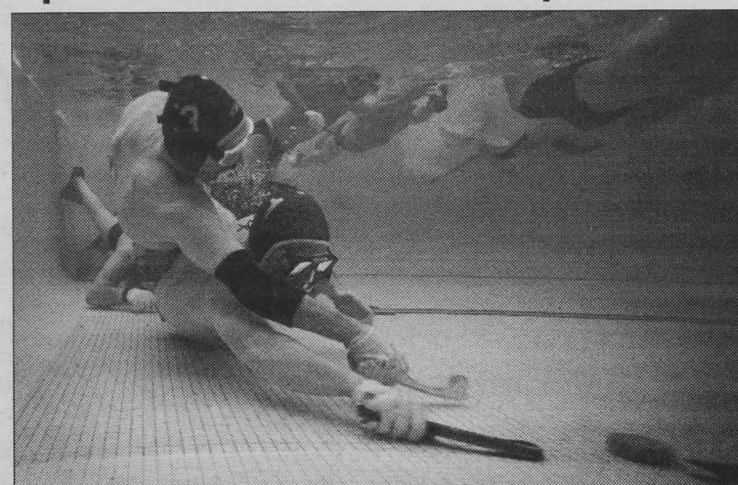
"There are three refs and at least one lifeguard present in an official game," Cabs said.

To start the game, players hold on to opposite ends of the pool. A three-pound, brightly colored hockey puck is dropped in the center of the pool, like hockey. One player from a team will say, "Ready...Go" and the 12 players engage in a frantic charge to the center of the pool.

The puck can only be moved by the mini hockey stick each player carries. In order to move the puck a player must glide it along the bottom of the pool; at three pounds, it won't float.

Players are not allowed to kick or hit the other players while in the pool, but often contact between players occurs. The team that can glide the puck across the pool into the other team's net gets a point. This net is not an actual net, but rather a long metal rod at opposite vertical ends of the pool.

Cabs has played underwater



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The Underwater Hockey Club plays at the Connolly Center pool.

hockey since he went to school at Western Washington University.

"We've been doing this here for almost 20 years now," Cabs said. "We're hoping this fall to start a school club at Seattle U. We're trying to get the university to interact with the sport."

Cabs said the alternative sport is popular outside the Seattle area.

"There's a club up at Western Washington, and there's quite a few clubs in California," Cabs said. "San Jose is pretty much the capital of underwater hockey."

The United States is not the only place where underwater sports are gaining popularity, though.

"Actually, in New Zealand it's a high school sport," Cabs said.

Because it's an indoor, underwater activity, underwater hockey can be played year-round.

"In years past we've taken August off, but we're pretty much die-hards so we try not to take any time off," Cabs said.

Underwater hockey is not an Olympic sport, but Cabs said he hopes it can grow in popularity and join the Olympics.

As of now, Cabs and his team are enjoying their time in the water.

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Players to watch on fields, court

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The 2009-2010 season will bring new challenges for the Redhawks, who will be in their second year of the D-I transition process.

Youth leadership

On the volleyball court, head coach Shannon Ellis and the young team look forward to another challenging but exciting season.

"Next year in volleyball Jamie Mellies will once again be running the court from the setter position," Ellis said.

Mellies was named GNAC Co-Freshman of the Year in 2007 and led the team in assists this season with 1,023.

"Kaytlyn Dill and Cristin Richards will be key hitters for us again, and they are a year stronger, faster and smarter now as sophomores so that will be really fun to watch," Ellis said.

Dill and Richards were at the top of the team in 2008 for kills with 113 and 110, respectively.

Life in the fast-lane

The 2009-2010 season will be the last transitional year for men's and women's soccer because both teams are being fast-tracked and will have full and active D-I status in the 2010-2011 season.

Returning for the men's soccer team will be the team's top scorer last year: Kyle Peterman. Peterman led the team in his freshman year with seven goals and three assists and scored 17 total points.

Goalkeeper Emerson DeOliveira boasted 28 saves last season and carries that into his senior year.

"To have a successful season we need good defense," said Brad Agoos, men's soccer head coach. "And that starts with our goalkeeper."

Agoos said sophomore midfielder Sean Morris will be another player to watch.

"We're expecting him to step it up a little bit more as a junior and continue to provide leadership," Agoos said. "He should have a great season."

On the women's side, head coach Julie Woodward named three upperclassmen as players to watch next year.

Jamie Coe and Kate Edstrom will be captains their senior year. Coe was the leading goal scorer for the team in 2008 with 11 goals and 24 total points. Edstrom led the team defensively.

Kara Kuttler, a forward entering her junior year, was second in goals with five and 17 total points.

"Kara had an unbelievable spring season and scored a ton of goals," Woodward said. "[She's] one of our most exciting players to watch."

Goalkeeper Madison Goverde had 20 starts and 56 saves this season, even as a freshman.

Building blocks start with foundation

For men's basketball, Chris Gweth is the top returning scorer with 312 points last season. Mike Boxley was fourth



Courtesy Seattle University

in points with 253. Gweth and Boxley will lead the team as seniors.

Aaron Broussard and Drew Harris were top scorers at the March 3 game against the University of Washington, posting 13 and 11 points respectively. They could be the future for new head coach Cameron Dollar.

A new team, a new tradition

Baseball will be the new kid on the block in its first season at Seattle U in almost 20 years.

Head coach Donny Harrel said baseball players who transferred from other colleges will provide leadership and experience on the new team. Arlo Evasick, a right-handed pitcher, transferred from Everett Community College where he led the Northwest Athletic Association of Community Colleges in wins.

"He will be a huge plus for us," Harrel added.

Blaine Jones, another right-handed pitcher, transferred from Saddleback Junior College in California. Harrel said Jones is important because of his ability to close games.

Harrel also listed two transfer centerfielders, Phil Parrish and Doug Buser, as assets to the team because of their previous experience at D-I schools. Parrish and Buser transferred from University of Kansas and University of Oklahoma, respectively. Both Parrish and

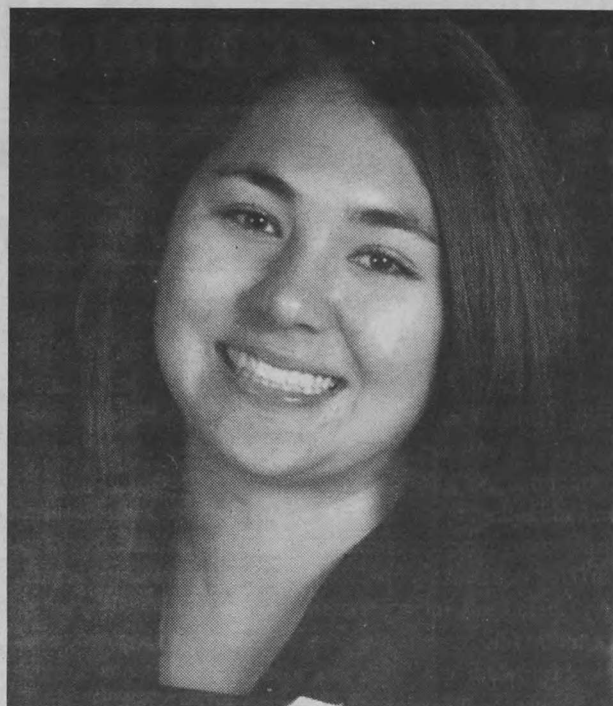
Buser were on campus this year but lost a year of eligibility in order to meet NCAA transfer requirements.

"We hope to take from them experience from Division I and pass that on to our incoming players," Harrel said.

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At left, Emerson DeOliveira is the Redhawk's keeper. He had 28 saves in 2008. Above, Jamie Mellies, once a GNAC Freshman of the Year, will lead women's volleyball.

Donald Dollar joins his son

Cover

women's team.

"We are committed to building a Division I Women's Basketball program that is outstanding in all respects," Hogan said.

Hogan said no interviews have been conducted yet to replace Kriley, and Athletics doesn't have any specific candidates in mind just yet. He hopes to have the position filled as soon as possible.

Just a day after the announcing Kriley would not be returning, a new assistant coach was hired on the men's side. Head Coach Cameron Dollar hired his father Donald Dollar. Donald Dollar has coached in Georgia for 46 years, with success at the high school and collegiate level.

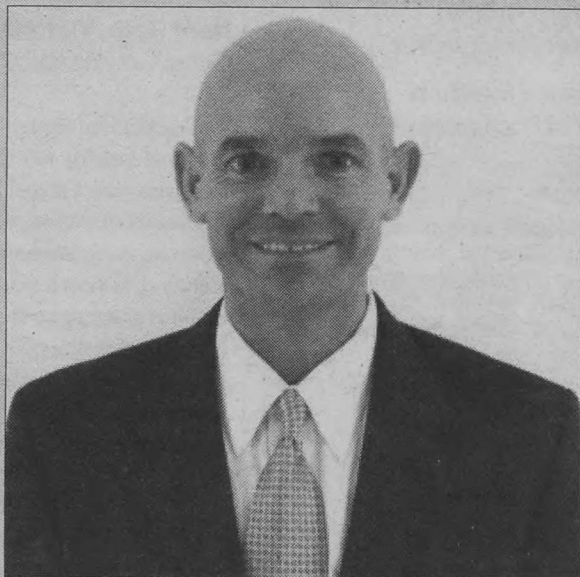
For the past two years, Donald has coached at the University of West Georgia. During his time as a high school coach, he led his teams to 660 wins, three state titles and 11 appearances at state semifinals.

"Because he is my father, I even at times take for granted how good of a coach he has been for a long, long time," wrote Dollar on his blog. "It only took one day on the court watching him teach to quickly bring me back. Seattle U, we are truly getting a special treat."

As Seattle U re-emerges on the Division I scene, its programs are being recognized once again by the city that used to live and die by Seattle U basketball.

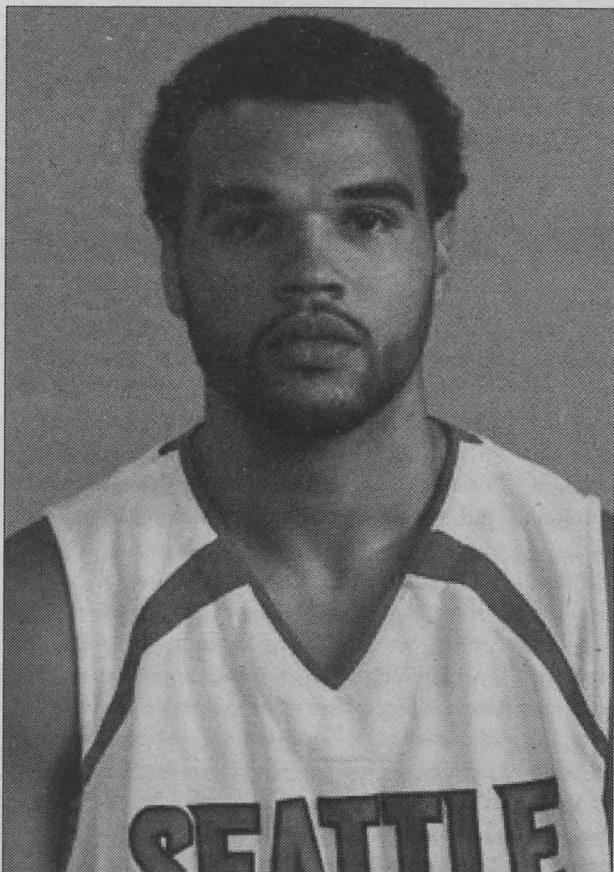
"Seattle's Reigning Sports Blog," SeaTown Sports, called Seattle U basketball a "potential powerhouse program" in a post July 7. SeaTown Sports said Seattle U could be the next Gonzaga with Dollar's top-notch recruiting abilities and KeyArena as its new home court.

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Women's basketball Head Coach Dan Kriley was fired July 1. He had a 77-59 overall record since 2004.



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Above, senior Mike Boxley is a men's basketball team leader. At right, Jamie Coe is the women's soccer team's leading scorer. She had 11 goals in 2008.

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Finally, a sized-down freshmen class

Seattle University has taken a step back. But it's nothing to worry about.

In fact, this move by administrators is one that will be beneficial for the university as a whole in the long run.

At the beginning of the 2008-2009 school year, this editorial space decried that on-campus residence hall rooms and floor lounges were converted to transitional triples and quads.

University resources were stretched to the brim accommodating yet another record-breaking class: There were an estimated 900 first-year students, more than 130 students than the previous year.

Fall quarter 2008 on-campus housing was at 112 percent capacity but at no fault of Housing and Residence Life. Rather, the Admissions Office, despite increasing applications and interest in studying at Seattle U, kept its admissions rate the same.

The result not only inconvenienced students living on campus; it also did the university financial harm. The discount rate—or what students get in scholarships—was too high, and Housing had to spend extra to convert rooms and get new furniture. Not to mention, buy some gift baskets to smooth things over with transitional triple residents.

But, according to two separate departments, the class of 2013 has around 770 students, a number consistent with freshmen enrollments in 2005 to 2007.

Provost Isiaah Crawford promised other executives the class of 2013 would not exceed 820 students. He deserves praise for coming through on that promise.

Housing has made a tough, yet necessary decision to restrict juniors and seniors from living on campus except for in the Murphy Apartments.

This concession, along with a smaller incoming class size, have allowed Housing to keep lounges open for study space—especially crucial during library construction—as well as keep living in triples optional.

Meanwhile, Lemieux Library staff has successfully created an interim library well worth using.

Seattle University is growing. But it's important that in that growth, it makes the best decisions available for its current students as well.

With the recession, difficulty with Housing and Residence Life construction projects and off-campus leasing deals, and budget cuts impacting everyone in the university community, another record-setting first-year class would have been too hard.

Yes, a smaller class might be viewed as a step back from growth and the university's goals, but in this climate, it's the prudent thing to do.

Welcome class of 2013, and thank you for not being too big.

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Spectator braves recession with growth

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It's a time of a doubt for newspapers.

The recession has been hard on almost every part of the economy but has especially hurt advertising, the lifeblood of newspapers.

These impacts have reached *The Spectator*, which needs to pay its printing costs with advertising revenue.

But that doesn't mean the paper isn't growing and working to do better.

I ended my first year as editor-in-chief uneasily. There was a lot to regret.

Recently, however, I was interviewed by a professor doing research on college newspapers. She asked me what I thought a student newspaper should do.

I told her it should be a forum for issues and ideas, large and small,

among the university community.

Explaining that vision rejuvenated me. The *Spectator* has been a forum, and while it may not offer the solution, it's often the starting point or the most available means interested students have to enter the conversation.

This year we're striving to make the newspaper an even better forum. For example, our staff will undergo the most intensive training in recent *Spectator* history. Our Web site is

being redesigned for better functionality and online-only content. We're on Twitter and Facebook too, and every Wednesday afternoon, you'll find a new issue on stands to keep you informed. But we can really only do that well if you talk back. Share with us at newstips@su-spectator.com.

In rough times, the last thing we're doing is cutting back.

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Heed Obama's call for service with CSCE

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Guest Columnists

Seattle University has much to offer you. Talented faculty, vibrant residential living communities, the Chapel of St. Ignatius, meals at Cherry Street Market, financial aid assistance, career services, academic advising, the Connelly Center, Division I sports and the list goes on and on! It is going to be an exciting journey with lots of fun and challenging times to be had.

In choosing Seattle U, you have also chosen to receive a Jesuit Catholic education. While you will acquire knowledge throughout your academic career, what you do with these skills and ideas is equally important. Seattle U believes in the importance of your academic, personal and spiritual growth along with the development of your sense of responsibility to self and community.

As the university's mission states, we are dedicated to "empowering leaders for a just and humane world." In short, you are called to learn and to grow not just for your personal benefit but for the benefit of society.

Most of you are not new to engaging with the community, and we encourage you to stay involved.

While at Seattle University, you will take service-learning courses and work closely with community partners and your professors to examine complex issues such as poverty, the educational achievement gap and global climate change.

There are also out-of-classroom opportunities such as week-long service immersion trips, year-long tutoring and mentoring programs and one-time service days like the annual Serve Seattle Project during Welcome Week.

Through these experiences, you will continue to learn from and engage with the community.

You enter college at a difficult time in our world's history. The economic decline has brought great suffering to many people. Our most vulnerable neighbors, both down the street and across the globe, face increasingly dim prospects of attaining dignity and justice.

While the challenges are great, we all have a role to play. Through President Obama's call for service, we have the opportunity to contribute to rebuilding our nation and moving us beyond these difficult times. In the words of Obama, "America's new foundation will be built one community at a time—and it starts with you."

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Why sleep? Join the SU night owls

No one has the time for that pesky thing called sleep. Here's a guide to late-night and early-morning adventure at Seattle University.

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Staff Columnist

There never seems to be enough hours in the day to accomplish everything I want to do.

I look around at my fellow Seattle University students who, on a daily basis, look like headless fowl running around campus chasing the proverbial carrot on a string.

Those of us for whom time management is a lost art know all too well that sleep is the first resource to be sacrificed in the quest for brutal totalitarian efficiency.

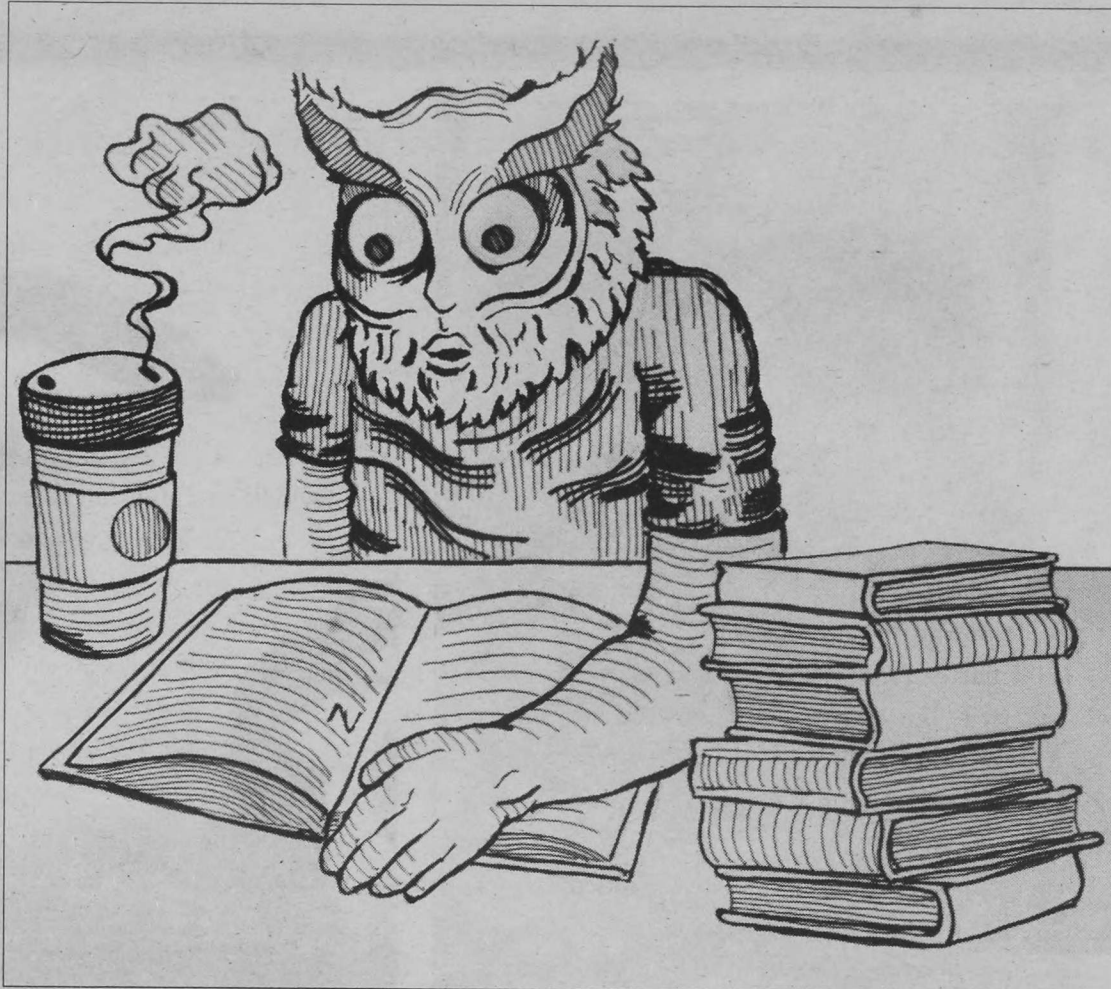
As much as I'd like to lay down and dream about Megan Fox every night, my standard flood of easy-to-forget 10-page papers and required readings of some dead author seem to preclude me from doing so.

At Seattle U, where caffeine makes up 5 percent of the breathable atmosphere, you'll never find yourself alone past midnight. There will always be other ghosts wandering the halls and study areas on campus, oftentimes up until the break of dawn (which happens to be my usual bedtime).

If you're like Count Dracula, there are strange and exotic friends to be made.

If you can tolerate having the sleep cycle of Count Dracula, there are strange and exotic friends to be made past the witching hour. For example, every night at about 2:30 a.m., like clockwork, the man from The Seattle Times walks into Bellarmine hall and deposits two stacks of newspapers.

I see him so often that I know his name is Tom and that he has two kids. Tom's phone number now sits in my phonebook, just in case.



Trevor Bown

The Spectator

You'll eventually form a close group of other night owls to accompany you into the wee hours of the morning. You and your minions will spend many a night together studying and plotting world domination.

The average fledgling insomniac will naturally have trouble lasting into the late night on a regular basis, at least initially. The obvious solution is to ingest dangerous amounts of caffeine for no reason. A nightly quadruple espresso from Starbucks is sure to increase your waking time while simultaneously shortening your life span.

Other alternatives include energy drinks and candy. The gas station at the corner of 12th Avenue and E. Cherry Street is open 24 hours a day to provide students with every hormone-imbalancing treat on the market.

With what I call the Triangle Diet in place—a nightly stream of coffee, Red Bull and candy bars—you'll soon see your

homework efficiency sky rocket, along with your hospital bill and insurance premiums.

Real owls need food to survive, though, and a warm meal can be hard to come by when all the "normal" people have gone to bed.

An empty stomach is no friend to anyone, and a student owes it to themselves to be at peak efficiency when studying for an important test or writing a long paper.

A nightly espresso from Starbucks is sure to increase your waking time.

Vending machine food can only do so much

The easiest way is to stock food in your room's fridge. It is advisable to hide whatever food you can behind your roommate's alcohol, that

way he or she will never touch it.

QFC is open all night thanks to a squad of robotic cashiers. That store is the best food resource available at night, provided you have the courage to walk down the crime-infested streets of Broadway.

Keeping leftovers from previous meals is simple and easy on the purse strings. You'd be surprised how half of a moldy cheeseburger from lunch two days ago can seem so tasty after midnight.

Just keep 911 on speed dial and you can ignore the expiration dates on all your food items.

Conversely, stealing food from your roommate is a crime punishable by death or deportation to Canada.

Mastery of the night time is simple. With a group of other weirdoes to support you, a readily available stock of caffeine, sugar and fatty foods, you'll be greeting the dawn in no time.

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THE TEN

Ways to assimilate into Capitol Hill culture

Go to a concert. Be as apathetic as possible about everything going on around you.

Buy a forest green American Apparel hoodie. Be annoyed that everyone else has one.

Get a fixed-gear bike. Only sissies use brakes.

Be seen drinking fair-trade coffee.

Get to Value Village early every Tuesday. Buy all of the good scarves/ironic T-shirts.

Grow or become attracted to ironic facial hair.

Get hit on at Neighbours.

Buy a reusable water bottle. Pretend you've always been passionate about the environment.

Express disdain for anything waterproof. Only tourists notice the rain.

Enjoy your sense of superiority. You live in the trendiest neighborhood of the hippest city in America.

Words of advice from scared soon-to-be graduate

What should freshmen know about Seattle University? For one, food is of utter importance.

Taylor Olson
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As the days of my final summer before entering the "real world" slip too quickly by, I find myself panicked, quite frequently, about what the post-college world holds for me.

I am about to graduate with a degree in journalism, a field with a future no one can quite predict. The economy—well, who knows where that is going.

And, as much as I try not to think about it, there are those lovely loans I will have to find a way to pay off with my now depleted bank account. I am beyond terrified of what I am getting myself in to after I receive my diploma.

But would I trade any of it? Well, no. Every experience, both good and bad, has contributed to my education.

However, there are a few things I wish I would have known (or taken more seriously) when I enrolled at Seattle University Sept. 2006.

First, if you have a meal plan, take advantage of it. We

are very lucky to have such a great food service on campus; Bon Appétit is amazing compared to some of the "food" I've sampled on other campuses.

Soak up every experience you can. As cliché as it sounds, it is 100 percent true; these next four years will fly by.

Go out to eat as little as possible. Sure it's important to get out and explore the city, but wait until your parents are visiting and have them take you out to that fancy restaurant you've been dying to try. On a side note, you will develop a sixth sense that allows you to find free food being distributed anywhere within a mile radius of campus.

Now, I may not seem like the best person to offer advice on finances, but here goes. Take out fewer loans than you think you will need. You will thank yourself in the long run.

On that note, right now, take all of the money you got for high school graduation and put it in your savings account. Do not touch it.

I speak from experience: When you've spent up your entire life savings, you will be kicking yourself for not doing this when your parents and every other adult told you to.

Take advantage of the opportunities a Jesuit education has to offer you. Campus Ministry puts on some amazing retreats; I recommend Search.

Give back to your community through service learning classes or service trips. Study abroad. Seattle U offers programs to fit everyone's needs.

Get to know all of your professors. Do your readings. Write your papers. Take your classes seriously. Study what interests you, not your parents.

Work hard. Have fun, but not too much fun. I've seen too many friends end up back at home because they couldn't handle living on their own. It's important to find a good balance between work and play.

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ZOMBIES ATTACK SEATTLE

Guinness record set: 4,277 registered zombies

On July 3, Fremont Outdoor Movies organized a record-breaking zombie march in Fremont. Zombies young and old gathered to learn and perform to Michael Jackson's "Thriller" dance and to watch the zombie comedy/horror flick "Shaun of the Dead." Fremont Outdoor movies will continue their summer movie series every Friday at sundown. All photos by Garrett Mukai, The Spectator.

